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### : Local and General :

Rev. and Mrs. R. K. Swenerton were visitors to Calgary, to-day (Thursday).

Miss A. Whitfield spent last Friday and Saturday in Didsbury, as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thurlow.

Mr. G. K. Allonby was appointed as a director in the Alberta Sheep Breeders Association.

The Women's Institute wish to thank the ladies who so generously helped, and donated to the Sale and Tea, on Saturday last. The amount collected was \$36.00, which will be forwarded to the Red Cross Society.

The regular meeting of the Institute will be held on Saturday, December 3rd. This will be a social afternoon. Ladies are asked to bring their work. We want this to be a real get together meeting. A paper will be read from Mrs. Huite, of Struma, Alta. Every lady is asked to make a point to be present.

The annual meeting of the Crossfield and District Agricultural Society will be held in Conrad's Hall, on Thursday, December 1st, 1921, to commence at 2 p.m. All members are cordially invited to attend.

We have a splendid line of Private Greeting Cards for Xmas at the Chronicle Office. Call in and see them, we do the necessary printing right on the premises. Prices are very reasonable.

### CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION.

Sunday, Nov. 27th, 1921  
10 a. m. Sunday School  
7:30 p. m. Evening Prayer.  
Services.—Every second Sunday in the month 11.00 a.m. Fourth Sunday 7.30 p.m.

### UNION CHURCH, CROSSFIELD

Sunday, Nov. 27th, 1921.  
Rev. R. K. Swenerton, B.A., B.D., Pastor.

Mr. S. Willis, Musical Director.  
Mrs. R. T. Amery, Organist.  
Mr. W. A. Waldeck, Sunday School Superintendent.

Sunday School & Bible Class 2 p.m.  
Preaching Service at 7.30 p. m.

It will be seen that notices have been posted, calling the Annual meeting of the Village also for the election of Councillors for the coming year. It has been customary in the past to invite a discussion of the affairs of the Village at this meeting by the ratepayers present. The trouble on previous occasions has been to get a sufficient number of ratepayers to attend and make the meeting interesting. As there has been some comments on the streets and in the stores as to the actions of this years councillors and it has been suggested that those complaints be brought to this meeting and threshed out there. The said meeting takes place on December 5th, at 8 p. m., in the Fire Hall.

### BIRTH

To Mr. and Mrs. S. Collins, on Wednesday, November 23rd, at Crossfield, a daughter.

## 25 to 30 per cent Discount on BOYS' & GIRLS' SHOES.

In order to clean out Broken lines in different makes we are going to give you an opportunity to save some money at  
**OUR EXPENSE**

Children's Good Strong Solid Leather, Sizes 4, 5, and 7,  
regular price \$2.25, to clear \$1.50

Girls' Pebble Leather School Shoe, regular \$2.95 for \$2.00  
Sizes 9, 10, 11 and 13.

Girls' Solid Leather "Cote" Shoe, regular \$5.50 for \$4.25

Boys' Solid Leather School Shoe, reg. \$4.25, \$5.50 for \$3.15

### JUST-ARRIVED

Boys' School Suits, good weight Tweeds, all sizes,  
regular \$14.00 suits, now \$10.50

Boys' Tweed Knickers, per pair \$1.75 to \$2.95

Boys' Corduroy Pants, - - \$3.00 to \$3.25

Men's Flannel Shirts, rock bottom value \$2.00

### MEN'S MACKINAW

Good all wool Mackinaws, worth \$13.00 & \$14.00  
in regular way, going for \$11.00

2 only Men's Mackinaws, lighter weight - \$7.25

4 only Men's Sheeplined Molekin Coats, very fine  
quality Sheepskins, worth \$17.00 for \$15.00

### "IT PAYSTO PAY CASH"

## CROSSFIELD CASH STORE

W. H. M. Williams, Phone 33.

## Clipping "Victory" Coupons

Let this serve as a reminder.—Be sure to clip your Victory Bond coupons on the date they become payable, and present them at this Bank, where they will be promptly cashed.

Victory Bond Interest becomes due on May 1st and November 1st.

## IMPERIAL BANK

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## WE HAVE

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GET OUR QUOTATIONS





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COME IN AND TALK IT OVER.

**MURDOCH & AMERY.****Tax Sale**

Sale of lands in the Municipal District of Rosebud No. 280 for arrears of taxes.

NOTICE is hereby given that certain lands in the Municipal District of Rosebud No. 280 will be offered for sale for arrears of taxes and costs, on Wednesday, November 30th, 1921, at the hour of 2 o'clock p.m. at the Municipal Office, in Crossfield, unless the arrears of taxes and costs are sooner paid.

A full list of said lands may be obtained by application to the undersigned, dated at Crossfield, the fifteenth day of October, 1921.

W. MCORY,  
Treasurer.

**J. L. McRory.****SHEET  
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**EASTMAN KODAKS,  
FILMS,  
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For Sale by

**MERRICK THOMAS, Drugist**

IMPOUNDED in Municipal District No. 280, Pound situate S. 28, T. 28, R. 28 W. of 4th. One team, tags in ear, one No. ONLSE, and tag RHROP 17285. Impounded October 10th, 1921.

D. BILLS, Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED in Municipal District No. 280, Pound situate on N.E. of S. 20 T. 28, R. 1, W. of 5th. One black Mare, six years old, white star on forehead, weight about 1400 lbs. No visible brand.

F. Landymore, Poundkeeper.

**CROSSFIELD LODGE I. O. O. F.**No.  42

Meets Every Wednesday Night in the Oddfellows Hall at 8 p.m.

Visiting Brethren Welcome.

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S. WILLIS, Rec.-Secy.

A. JESSEMAN, Fin.-Sec.

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Consultation and Spinal Analysis Free.

WANTED: to purchase two good Milk Cows, nothing else but good young cows, must be fresh or to freshen in a few days. Address, Geo. Bennie, P.O. Box 2, Crossfield.

FOR SALE.—One Registered Shorthorn Bull, Red, one year old, \$50.00. Massey Harris show Drill, 20 run; Also White Wyandotte Roosters. G. Trevorton Jones.

SELLING.—Purchased Mammoth Brown TURKEYS, May hatch, Gobblers \$5.00, Hens \$3.00. Get them early while they last. Mrs. A. A. Hall, Crossfield.

Impounded.—In the Municipal Pound located on Sec. 29, T. 28, R. 28, W. of 4th one black Mare, white stripe on face and branded on right shoulder "r" and on the right thigh "2".

D. Bills, Poundkeeper.

STRAYED.—From N.E. 1/4, 21, 28, of 5th, One Sorrel Belgian Mare 3 years old, weight about 1200 lbs., white star on forehead. No Brand. Apply

D. W. Whillans, Crossfield.

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**DOWN THEY GO --** People need the Goods -- people want the goods--we make prices to meet your demands--every item here is a money saver--we sacrifice profits--get in on these values and make life worth while

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6 lb. Grey Blankets, all wool, 56 x 76 in.

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8 lb. Grey Blankets, all wool, 66 x 86 in.

Value \$11.50, smashed to **\$9.25**

8 lb. Hudson Bay 3 point White Blankets

value last year \$25.00, smashed to **\$12.50**

8 lb. Hudson Bay 3 point All Wool

Blankets, colors brown and paddy green.

good for bed, couch cover or robe, cheap

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Comforters—large size 72 x 72 in. at less

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Make life worth living -- improve your living conditions with good rest --

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Mattresses here, at **\$12.75**

If you have an order for Tim Eaton - bring it in and give us a chance to fill it - you see what you buy and take the goods along.

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smashed

Men's Suede Leather body and sleeves, moleskin covered worsted neck and cuff, value \$14.00,

smashed to **\$11.50**

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Vest, pure wool flannel lined

comfy neck and wrists, big value

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Best grade English Glove Tanned

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Make your selection early while sizes last.

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Compare our prices with those in Calgary and elsewhere, you will find our prices lower than advertised by others.

**Groceries--**

You will buy your Fruits for Cakes and P'um Puddings for less money here.

**Council Meetings**

The council of the Village of Crossfield will meet in the Office of the Secretary-Treasurer on the first Monday of each month, commencing with February at the hour of 8-30 o'clock p.m.

By Order of the Village Council.

51-52- W. McRory, Sec.-Treas.

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Crossfield School District No. 752

The REGULAR MEETINGS of the above School Board will be held in Onikes and Gordon's Office, at 9 p.m., on the second Monday of each month.

Ratepayers are invited to be present at these meetings.

All matters of business pertaining to this district will be attended to at this meeting.

The office of the Sec.-Treas. is in the Crossfield Drug Store.

A. W. GORDON, Chairman.

Merrick Thomas, Sec.-Treas.

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A had case of Catarrh is not an easy thing to treat, and a remedy that makes good, deserves great credit. Catarrh is certainly a real ailment. Mr. Webb, who writes from Woodstock: "For a number of years I was troubled with systematic Catarrh. Nothing helped me very much. I used Catarrhine and finally got relief. To build up my system, I used Persephone. This combination can't be beaten. They made me well. My case may also be bad, but Catarrhine will do for you what it did for Mr. Webb. Two months treatment \$1.00, small size 50c. All dealers or the Catarrhine Co., Montreal."

## The Homesteaders

BY  
ROBERT J. C. STEAD  
Published by Special Arrangement  
With the Author.

(Continued)

"Independent of what" she asked. "Why, independent of—of every thing. Nothin' more to worry about and plenty laid up for old age. Ain't that worth a sacrifice?"

"John," she said, turning and raising her eyes to his face. "Answer me a straight question. What was the happiest time in your life? Wasn't it when we lived in the one-roomed and shanty, with scarcely a cent to bless ourselves? We worked hard then, too, but we had time for long walks together across the prairie-time to sit in the dusk by the water and plan our lives together. We have done well; we have land, horses, machinery, money. But we have the happiness we knew when we lived of these? On the contrary, are you not worried morning, noon and night over your work, and the wages they don't pay? And if you get more land won't all your troubles be increased in proportion? John, sit down and think this thing over. We don't need more property; what we need is a chance to enjoy the property we already have. The one thing we haven't got, is time. Time to think, time to read, time for walks on the prairie, time for sunsets and skies, and—kindness and all the things that make life real. We have the chance to choose now between life and land; won't you think it all over again and let us seek that which is really worth while?"

"Now I know where Beulah got her nonsense," he retorted. "All this talk about real life is very fine, but you don't get much life, real or any other kind, unless you have the cash to pay for it. You can't buy besticks with long walks over the prairie."



## Appetite Good, Gained 20 lbs. Could Not Feel Better

From a nervous wreck this man was restored to health, strength and happiness.

He tells his own story in this letter.

Mr. Ralph A. Roberts,  
Loverna, Sask., writes:

"In 1917 I had lost all appetite, failed 25 pounds in weight, became very nervous and shaky and at first gave up all hope of recovery. For some time I had been suffering from indigestion, which kept getting worse, until I was fast becoming a total wreck. Doctors said their drugs were sending me to my grave at the age of 39."

"Then I read about people being restored by Dr. Chase's Medicine and after three months use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food and Kidney-Liver Pills I found that my bowels were restored to normal movement each day and the constipation was no more. I had a good appetite, had gained 20 pounds and could not feel better. I shall always be grateful for these benefits."

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prairie, nor clothe yourself and family with sunsets. For my part I want some real success. We've done pretty well here, as you say, but it's only a beginning to what we can do. If we set about it, and don't wait until the sheep land is all gone, I don't see why you should go back on me. This time of life, Mary. We've stood together for a long while, and I kind of figured I could count on you."

"So you can, John; so you can to the very last for anything that is for your own good, but when you set your heart on something that means more trouble and hardship, I think it is my duty to persuade you if I can. We've been drifting apart lately; why not let us both go back to the beginning and start over again, and by kindness, and fairness, and liberality, and—sympathy, try to recover something of what we have lost?"

"I have always thought I'd been liberal enough," he said. "Didn't I build you a good house and buy furniture for it, and do I stint you in what you spend, either on the table or yourself? More than that, didn't I put the title to the homestead in your name? And ain't I ready to do the same with the new homestead, if that's the sticker?"

"I never thought of such a thing," she protested. "And you shouldn't claim too much credit for putting the homestead quarter in my name. You know when you bought the first railroad land you were worried about how things would come out, and you thought it might be a wise precaution to have the old farm stand in your wife's name."

"That's all the thanks I get," he said bitterly. "Well, I'll take the new one in my own name, but I'll have the old one in yours. You don't want to share in it you won't have to. But for the present it's your duty to stay here and run things till we get back."

"What are you going to do after you get your new farm? You can't work two farms a thousand miles apart, can you?"

"Oh, I guess that won't worry you long. The Americans are comin' in now with lots of good money. I was figurin' up that this place as a gold concern, ought to bring about forty thousand dollars, and I'll bet I could sell it inside of a week."

"Sell it?" she exclaimed. "You don't mean that you intend to sell this farm?"

"Why not? If somebody else wants it worse than we do, and has the money to pay for it, why shouldn't I sell it? The tears stood in her eyes as she answered: "In all these years while we have been building this home I never once thought of it as something to sell. It was a part of ourselves, of our very life. It seemed more like—like one of our children, than a mere possession. And now you would sell it, just as you might sell a load of wheat or a fat steer. In the place—the place—home where you have grown old and grey—nothing to you? Have you no sentiment that will stay it from the highest bidder?"

"Sentiment is a poor affair in business," he answered. "Properly made it sell; money was made it buy it with. The successful man is the one who has his price for everything and knows how to get it. As for growin' old and grey on this farm, why, that's a grocer's trade against me, though I don't think I'm very grey and I don't feel very old. And I'll get my price, why shouldn't I sell?"

"Very well," she answered. "I've nothing more to say. I'll sell it if you must, but remember one thing—I won't be here to see it pass into the hands of strangers." She straightened herself up, and there was a fire in her eye that reminded him of the day when she had elected to share with him the hardships of the wilderness, and in spite of himself some of his old pride in her returned. "I leave tomorrow for a visit, and I may be gone some time. You reminded me of your liberality a few minutes ago; prove it now by writing me a cheque for my expenses. Remember I will expect to travel like the wife of a prosperous farmer, a man whose holdings are worth forty thousand dollars each."

"So that's your decision, it is? You set me at defiance, you try to wreck my plans by your own stubbornness. You break up my family piece by piece, until all I have left is Allan. Thank God, the boy, at least is sound. Well, you shall have your cheque, and I'll make it a big one that it may carry you the farther."

Even in the teeth of his bitterness the mention of Allan's name strained the mother's heart beyond her power of resistance, and she turned with outstretched arms towards her husband. For a moment he wavered, the flame of love, still smouldering in his breast, leaping up before the breath of her response. But it was for a moment only. Weakness would have meant surrender, and surrender was the one thing of which Harris was incapable. He held out his course with clear conscience; he was sincerely working for the greatest good to his family, and if his wife was determined to stand in her own light it was his duty to pursue the course of defiance of her. So he checked the impulse to take her in his arms, and walked stolidly to his desk in the parlor.

He returned shortly and placed a cheque in her hands. She looked at it through misty eyes, and read that it was for two hundred dollars. It represented a two-hundredth part of their joint earnings, and yet he thought he was dealing liberally with her; he half expected, in fact, that his magnanimity would break her down where his firmness had failed.

## If Losing Looks or Strength Read This Carefully

Once you were robust, bright and happy. To-day you are dull, worried, failing in vitality and appearance. Just when you should be at your best you're played out and need a cleansing medicine. Get the right remedy, and your blood will redder, your vivacious spirits will soon return, and you'll be yourself again. You should use Dr. Hamilton's Pills—a truly wonderful medicine. It drives away headaches, weariness, lifts the load from your liver, tones up the stomach, puts you on your feet in no time. Use Dr. Hamilton's Pills and watch the result, in a week you'll feel like new. All dealers, 25c, or The Catarrhine Co., Montreal.

But she only whispered a faint "Thank you," and softly folded the paper in her fingers. He waited for a minute, suspecting that she was overcome, but as she said nothing more he at length turned and left the room, saying gruffly as he went out, "When that dose I'll send you more if you write for it."

It was now ten at night, and almost dark, but Harris's footsteps instinctively turned down the road toward Riles'. Riles' reputation in the community was that of a hard-working, money-grubbing farmer, with a big bony body, and a little shrivelled soul. If indeed the latter had not entirely dried up into ashes. A few years ago Harris had held his neighbor in less more and more impressed with Riles' ability to make his farm pay, which was as great as or greater than his own, and what he had once thought to be hardness and lack of humanity he now recognized as simply the capacity to take a commonsense, business view of conditions. At the gate he met Allan, returning from spending a social hour with the Grant boys.

"Where going, Dad?" the younger man demanded.

"Oh, I thought I'd take a walk over to Riles'. There's a lot of things I talk about."

"What's the matter, Dad?" The strained composure of his father's voice had not escaped him.

"Nothin'." "I might's well tell you now; you'll know it in a little while anyway." "But your mother is goin' away—on a visit."

"Like Beulah's visit, I suppose. So it's come to this. I've seen it for some time, Dad, and you must've seen it too. But you're not really goin' to let her go? Come back to the house with me—surely you two can get together on this thing, if you try."

"I have tried," said Harris, "and it's no use. She's got those notions like Beulah—quitting work, and twilights and sunsets and all that kind of thing. There's no use talkin' with her; reason don't count for anything. I gave her a good pocketful of money, and told her to write for more when she needed it. She'll get over her notions pretty soon when she gets among strangers. Go in and have a talk with her boy; there's no use your bein' at odds with her, too. As for me, I can't do anything more."

"I suppose you know best," he answered, "but it seems—hang it, it's against all reason that you two—that is, she should happen."

"Of course it is. That's what I said a minute ago. But reason don't count just now. I'll go in and talk with her, and give her any help you can if she wants it. Get away at once."

Allan found his mother in her room, packing a trunk and gently weeping into it. He laid his hand upon her, and presently he found her work-room full of her strong arms.

"You're not going to leave us, mother, are you?" he said. "You wouldn't do that?"

## "Faddy" Appetites

When the digestive organs are out of order you need the help of Mother Seigel's Syrup. The herbal medicinal extracts of which the Syrup is made restore tone and strength to faded stomachs, make food yield nourishment and save from the many ills which indigestion brings. Mother Seigel's Syrup is now sold in 50c. and \$1.00 bottles at drug stores.

"Not if it could be helped, Allan. But there is no help. Your father has set his heart on more land, and more wage, and giving up this home, and I might as well go first as last. More and more he is giving his love to work instead of to his family. I bear him no ill-will—nothing, nothing but love, if he could only come out of this trance of his and see things in their true light. But as time goes on he gets only deeper in. Perhaps when I am away for a while he'll come to himself. That's our only hope."

(To be continued.)

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Thourist.—Well, is it ambitious and willing to travel?—New York World.

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## Railway Board Will Defer Decision On Grain Freight Rates

Winnipeg.—No decision will be rendered in the application for permission to allow the Canadian Pacific Railway Company the right to enter the Drumheller coal field over the line of the Canadian National Railways, until a public hearing has been held at Ottawa, it was announced by the board of railway commissioners.

Declaring that the basic industry of Western Canada—agriculture—was faced with absolute poverty, that farmers were leaving the country for the cities; and that grain traffic of the railways showed absolutely serious returns ranging from 351 per cent to 457 per cent, H. J. Symington, K.C., representing the Manitoba and Saskatchewan Governments and the United Grain Growers, Limited, asked the board of railway commissioners to make drastic and material reductions in the grain freight rates in western territories.

At the conclusion the board announced decision would be withheld pending a further hearing to be held shortly in Ottawa.

### Trouble In Montenegro

Native Rebel To Secure Independence

London.—An insurrection has broken in Montenegro for the purpose of securing Montenegrin independence from Serbia, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Rome, which connects the insurrection with the Albanian situation.

A Montenegrin battalion, says the message, has seized the highly important strategic height of Mount Lovcen.

Vast forest fires, alleged to have been started by the Serbs, are raging in the vicinity of Podgorica.

The advance of Jugo-Slav troops into Albania has been arrested by heavy counter-attacks on the part of the Albanians, according to a Central News dispatch from Rome.

### New Shippers to Trail Smelter

Nelson, B.C.—Six new shippers, all from the Shocan, sent ore to the Trail smelter during the first week in November. The week was also notable for having one of the heaviest tonnage of the year, 11,307 tons of ore and concentrates being received. The total receipts for the year to date at Trail stand at 345,598 tons.

### Selling Out Racing Stable

Winnipeg.—D. J. McDonald, well-known race horse owner of this city, is going out of the racing game and is selling his entire stable. Phil Patch, 2:05 1/2, one of the leading pacers in Canada, losing only four races this season, is among the horses to be sold.

## HALIFAX EXPLOSION WRECKED HER NERVES

The reader will, no doubt, remember when a few years ago there was a collision in the Halifax, N.S., Harbor and one of the munition ships was blown up, causing great loss of life and laying a large portion of the city in ruins, and causing a great deal of suffering and distress among the inhabitants.

Mrs. Winfield Dill, now of Windsor, N.S., was living in Halifax at that time and went through this trying experience and the shock wrecked her nerves. She writes as follows:—"I was living in Halifax at the time of the explosion, and it wrecked my nerves so that I could not do my housework. I would take such nervous spells I would be under the doctor's care."

I saw Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills advertised, so I took two boxes and they helped me so much I took six more, and now I am completely relieved. I can recommend them to anyone suffering from heart and nerve trouble."

To all those who suffer from nervous shock we would recommend our

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### HEART AND NERVE PILLS

as the best remedy to tone up the entire nervous system and strengthen the weakest. Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are the original heart and nerve food having been on the market for the past 27 years. Price, 60c a box at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

### Lloyd George May Yet Attend Conference

Washington.—Mr. Lloyd George, in a personal message delivered at the state department by Ambassador Geddes, expressed regret at his inability to attend the opening session of the conference and declared that nothing but the intensely delicate state of the Irish negotiations and matters relating to unemployment legislation in parliament precluded his attendance. He stated that he hoped to be present before the conference reached the deciding stage of its momentous work.

### Fire Destroys Ontario Homes

Only Two Members of Family at Kearney Escape

North Bay, Ont.—Three persons dead and one child badly burned, was the total reached in the casualties of a fire which destroyed three houses at Kearney, Ont.

The dead are:

Mrs. Fred Wheeler, her baby girl, Doris, aged three months; Doris, aged about six years; Roy Wheeler, aged about six, and Sophie, 17, who died from burns. Another child, Mildred, is in a critical condition. The only members of the family to escape were William, aged 23, and Freddie, aged nine, who jumped from a window at the rear of the house. William made a brave attempt to rescue his mother from a front room but she failed to answer to his calls. She was dead.

The tragedy occurred during the absence of Mr. Wheeler, who had left for North Bay, a distance of about 25 miles, on an early train. He was informed of the fate of his family by a telegram which was handed to him at the station here and sobbing pitifully he sought the nearest telephone. The meagre information available as yet does not account for the origin of the fire.

### Increase in Manitoba Population

1921 Census Shows Province is Growing Rapidly

Ottawa.—The result of the 1921 census shows that the population of the province of Manitoba increased from 461,190 in 1911 to 613,095, an increase of 42.92 per cent. The population of Winnipeg increased from 136,035 in 1911 to 173,364 in 1921, an increase of 42.32 per cent. The city of St. Boniface increased from 7,485 in 1911 to 12,816 in 1921, an increase of 5,332, or 71.20 per cent. A recent bulletin from the census department gave St. Boniface a population of 13,816. This, it was explained, was due to a typographical error.

The city of Brandon increased from 12,839 in 1911 to 15,355 in 1921, an increase of 19.59 per cent. Portage La Prairie increased from 5,892 in 1911 to 6,718 in 1921, an increase of 14.60 per cent.

### Britain Will Pay Interest to U.S.

Arrangement Has Been Made to Pay \$20,000,000 Yearly

London.—An arrangement has been made to begin paying the interest on the debt owed by Great Britain to the United States at the rate of \$20,000,000 yearly. It was announced in the House of Commons by Sir Robert Horne, chancellor of the exchequer.

Sir Robert made this announcement in the course of a statement on the budget prospects. He added with emphasis:

"I hope this remark about the debt we owe the United States will not be made the occasion for any discussion of the inter-allied indebtedness. I do not conduct to the friendliness of the feeling between the United States and ourselves to discuss that matter at all at present."

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### WESTERN EDITORS



Hon. C. D. MacPherson, Daily Graphic, Portage la Prairie, Minister Public Works Department, Manitoba Government.

### Japan Facing Deficit

Situation Will Make the Strictest Economy Necessary

Tokio.—Japan faces a deficit of 20,000,000 yen for the present fiscal year, the cabinet was told by Baron Takahashi, minister of finance. He added that current revenues indicated the figure might be even greater. Commenting on his statement, the Yomi Huri Shimbun says:

"The situation renders strict economy in framing the new budget absolutely necessary. The finance department thus will have to resort to the broadest policy of retrenchment in examining the draft estimates presented by each government department."

### Mother! Open Child's Bowels With California Fig Syrup

Your little one will love the "fruity" taste of California Fig Syrup even if constipated, bilious, irritable, feverish, or full of cold. A teaspoonful never fails to cleanse the liver and bowels. In a few hours you can see for yourself how thoroughly it works all the sour bile, and undigested food out of the bowels and you have a well, playful child again.

Millions of mothers keep "California Fig Syrup" handy. They know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.

### Returns From Perilous Journey

Small Motor Boat Made Journey to Siberian Coast

Vancouver.—The little motor ship, Casco, captained by O. L. Lee, under charter to the Hudson's Bay Company, has returned from an adventurous journey to the North Siberian coast. The Casco left here early in June and visited a number of ports in the Behring and Siberian Seas. At Petropavlovsk, while repairing gas tanks on a launch alongside, two of the Casco's crew were killed in an explosion. They were G. A. Clucas and J. O. Overhill, engineers, Sydney Ely, of Vancouver, sustained severe burns when he tried to rescue Clucas at the risk of his life.

### Auto Runs Into Water

Four Men Have Narrow Escape Through Driver's Error

Prince Rupert, B.C.—Four men narrowly escaped drowning when a closed automobile in which they were riding plunged over a wharf here and sank in the harbor. The men were trying out a new car, and the driver threw it into "high" when he meant to apply the brakes. They had to fight their way out of the closed car while under water.

### Report Anti-Bolshevik Revolt

London.—Cecil Harmsworth, under-secretary for foreign affairs, replying to a question in the House of Commons, stated the government had received a report that an anti-Bolshevik revolution had broken out in the southern part of Russia. He said no information had been received regarding a report that General Petlura, Ukrainian leader, was engineering the revolution from Rumania.

## World Is Settling Down To Work, Says Lloyd George

London.—Mr. Lloyd George, speaking at the Lord Mayor's banquet, declared that there was a better prospect of Great Britain's proposals to Ireland being heeded today and Ireland accepting the invitation to enter the British commonwealth as an equal than for years, but that the conference was still in a critical stage. Beyond this he carefully refrained from divulging the results of the possibilities of the conferences which are now being held with the Irish representatives.

In his opening remarks the Prime Minister alluded to the economic troubles afflicting the world, such as followed the Napoleonic wars. He expressed the conviction that the force of the cyclone was already spent, and followed with a recital of numerous symptoms indicating that a revival was coming, particularly the fact that "in every land the slackness that seemed to overcome labor is passing away."

"The world is settling down to work," said Mr. Lloyd George, "and it is work alone that will fill the de-

pleted tills which will enable purchases to come to the markets. The blue sky is beginning to emerge. The Washington conference, summoned by President Harding, is like a rainbow in the sky, for, without the assurance of peace, restoration of business is impossible.

"This conference comes none too soon. So far the war has not had the effect which every sane man anticipated from it, in arresting the growth of armaments. Man is the most unteachable of all animals. If you inflict punishment upon any other animal he quickly learns the lesson. But, take the late war; it was the most terrible destruction in the history of the world. That lesson was scourged deep into the flesh of the world, and yet no sooner are we out of it than the madhouse spend their substance in devising and amazing fresh engines for war; fresh subjects spring up everywhere to justify war. You might imagine that the one purpose and glory of nations of organization was human slaughter."

### Great Britain Objects to French Priority

Agreement Regarding Reparations Injuriously to British Interests

Washington.—Objections have been made by the British Government to the Louchet-Rathenau agreement under which Germany would pay a considerable part of reparations in kind, that is in building materials and machinery, for the reconstruction of the northern departments of France.

The protest, which has been forwarded to Premier Briand by cable from Paris represents that the agreement gives France a priority in payment over other allies and is thus injurious to British interests.

Comment among members of the French delegation to the armament conference is that it was really upon the suggestion of British statesmen that the French Government authorized M. Louchet to negotiate with M. Rathenau.

The London point of view was that Germany could never give more than a percentage of reparations in cash and that France ought to take products in part payment.

### Shorn of Splendor

Lord Mayor's Show In London Is Curtailed With a View to Economy

London.—The historic procession of the Lord Mayor of London was shorn of much of its customary splendor with a view to economy in the face of prevailing distress. The usual pageants in connection with the election of new mayors throughout the country were abandoned in many places for the same reason.

### U.S. Loan Declined

Victoria Can Raise Funds in London When Required

London.—A Melbourne dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company reports W. M. McPherson, treasurer of Victoria, as announcing that he had declined "a tempting offer of a United States loan to Victoria." The declaration, he said, was because of the fact that he had completed negotiations in London for a loan to be available when the government here desired to raise funds through this means.

## RED PIMPLES ITCHED TERRIBLY

On Chest, Face, Arms, Burned Badly, Cuticura Heals.

"Ever since I can remember, my chest, face, and arms were filled with red pimples. They were scattered all over me, and itched terribly at times, and I scratched them, causing them to fester and get sore. Sometimes they would dry away and form scales which burned badly. Then I used Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I had used them two or three times when I felt better and I was healed with one box of Cuticura Ointment together with the Cuticura Soap." (Signed) Miss Bertha Kess, Russell, Manitoba, February 19, 1919.

Use Cuticura Soap and Ointment for all toilet purposes. Soap to cleanse, Ointment to heal. Soap 25c, Ointment 25c and 50c. Sold everywhere. The Dominion, Canadian Drug Company, Limited, St. Paul, St. Montreal.

Fine Ripe Tomatoes & Best Spices

CLARK'S TOMATO KETCHUP

Just a dash adds zip to the stew or fish, etc. The well spiced and seasoned fine ripe tomatoes are a wholesome and tasty relish. Made from Canadian Produce and sold everywhere in Canada.



## Explorers Will Find Use Of Airplane Will Prove To Be Of Great Advantage

Regarding Mr. Francis Birtles' proposed trip of aerial exploration of Central Australia, by which he expects to gain more information in five weeks than the best equipped ground explorer could obtain in a year, Mr. Leo Walmley, M.C., F.R.G.S., says:—

Is Mr. Birtles too optimistic? I think not. For making a rough map of a new country, for tracing the course of mountain ranges, rivers, the boundaries of desert, forest and bush, for noting the whereabouts of water and grazing grounds, aircraft manned by skilled observers are unequalled.

The average ground exploration expedition is a complicated affair. There are few countries where it is possible to employ mechanical transport for the carrying of food, camp equipment, scientific apparatus. This is the hiring of porters, and consequently the carrying of more weight, for porters must be fed. This also applies to animals if these are used. Porters and animals are subject to disease, which may mean months of delay.

By the very nature of their task, ground explorers must tackle great physical obstacles. Mountains must be climbed, rivers bridged, swamps negotiated, forests hewn through.

A swamp a mile in breadth may delay a party for a month, while the members are exposed to malaria. An aeroplane will cross this in a minute, and, more important still, its occupants will have a perfect view of the whole swamp, and be able to sketch its boundaries straight into the blank of their map.

In very flat, bush-land country, for weeks on end the ground explorer may never see more than a few yards ahead. Thus he may die of thirst while he has passed within rifle shot of hidden springs and streams.

The airman's view, however, is usually limited only by the curving of the earth, and the area of ground that he is able to survey in a few hours' flight is therefore enormous.

What geographical information can the airman-explorer obtain?

In addition to that mentioned above a trained observer can, by noting certain associations of vegetation, distinguish the presence of water. In forests he can identify trees of commercial importance.

A good geologist should be able broadly to identify formations and the presence of mineral bearing strata. Good agricultural districts should be easily distinguished from the air. Game paths, native habitations are clearly seen; so are swamps, banks and reefs in seas, rivers and lakes.

As proof of the value of the aeroplane in this connection: During the late campaign in Africa, General Northey had planned a long march into Portuguese territory. The only map available was quite unreliable. But in three flights were able to supply a survey of his projected route, and of two alternative routes, with detailed information regarding the density of the vegetation, depth and width of rivers with the best roads, whereabouts of water-holes and villages, extent of native crops, and the disposition and strength of the enemy's forces.

### Fifty Years With Royal Family

The death has taken place at Marlborough House of Miss Mary Adams, who, for about 50 years has been continuously engaged in the service of the Royal family. She was 77 years of age, and first joined the household staff of Princess Alice. She went to Buckingham Palace, spending nearly 25 years there in the employ of Queen Victoria, and about as many years in the service of Queen Alexandra, with whom she latterly occupied the post of dresser.

### The Laggards

Milly.—Men live faster lives than women.  
Billy.—Perhaps you are right. At any rate it takes a woman much longer to reach the age of thirty than it takes a man.—New York Sun.

In England many railway stations are marked with the name of the town they represent in big white letters on the roof, as a guide to alien.

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## Protection For Farmers

### Purchasing Seed

Steps Taken to Insure Proper Standards of Purity and Quality

Good seed is a necessity for good crops and, therefore, all steps taken towards the securing of such seed are of primary importance and of untold value to the farmers. To insure proper standards of purity and quality, the Seed Control Act was passed and entrusted to the Seed Branch of the Dominion Department of Agriculture to enforce. The work entailed is of no mean proportions, as will be understood when it is stated that, in 1920, the department inspectors visited 7,725 dealers throughout the nine provinces of the country and discovered 783 violations of the act. It is a tribute to the general honesty of seed dealers that, of the 783 violations discovered, 747 were found to have been the result of accident or not from any negligence or intent. Thirty-six prosecutions were instituted, however, all of which proved warranted. Whenever suspected violations of the regulations under the act are found, the inspector secures a sample and forwards it to the nearest Dominion seed laboratory with a report covering the case. The sample having analyzed, a certificate of analysis is sent to the party concerned and, if the suspicion is confirmed, an explanation is demanded.

Another duty undertaken is the inspection of the seed grain at the interior terminal elevators. This inspection is made on the request of shippers, and, in 1920, certificates of purity were issued for 703,712 bushels of seed wheat, 1,105,945 bushels of seed oats and 16,353 bushels of seed barley. Other seeds were inspected, including 516,360 pounds of Timothy and 48,900 bushels of Canadian grown No. 1 three foot seed principally for export to Ireland. Regarding the latter favorable comment was received from the Irish Department of Agriculture.

### Civilization Primal Bases

They are burning corn for fuel in the Western States. And in Russia hundreds of thousands of people are dying for lack of it. Truly transportation and distribution are the primal bases of civilization. Without them we would live and die—like the savage tribes of Africa.—Chicago Evening Post.

### Wireless Sets Sold

Among the unclaimed goods auctioned off at a police sale in Toronto, were four sets of wireless apparatus confiscated by the police from foreigners in 1917, when the police were concerned in preventing the enemy from gaining knowledge that might be of material assistance.

## Livestock Improvement Measures

### A Widespread Movement to Introduce Better Types on the Farm

More and more the movement calling for the elimination of the scrub sire in the beef and dairy breeds is being emphasized and reaching fulfillment. In addition to the educational campaigns being carried on in Ontario, Saskatchewan and elsewhere by the provincial authorities the policy of the Dominion Department in distributing pure-bred bulls in newly opened districts is doing much to improve the quality of the breeding stock. The policy was adopted in 1912, and, up to November 1, of last year, no fewer than 2,963 bulls had been introduced in this way by the Dominion Livestock Branch. At the date mentioned, the branch had in the hands of different associations in sparsely and newly settled districts 1,306 bulls, of which number 785 were Shorthorns, 117 Ayrshires, 90 Holsteins, 74 Herefords, 38 Aberdeens, 25 French-Canadian, 17 Jersey, 9 Guernsey, 3 Red Polled and 1 Gallo-way. Alberta is credited in the one year with 315 of these bulls, Saskatchewan, with 295, Manitoba with 137, British Columbia with 74, Quebec with 286, Ontario with 98, Nova Scotia with 36, New Brunswick with 35, and Prince Edward Island with 10. At first the bulls were secured by the branch direct from the breeders, but when good opportunity offers, such as a provincial sale, purchases are now made in the open market. For instance, at the seven auction sales in the prairie provinces held last year, 226 superior animals were purchased for distribution in this way.

## Getting Iron From Rust

Man Achieved Greatest Triumph When Process Was Discovered

It is oxide of iron that gives to your blood its brilliant red color. If blood contained no iron, all men and women would look like walking corpses. Nowhere in nature is iron found in a "native" or pure state. It occurs only in the form of oxides—that is to say, as iron rust. Man's greatest triumph was achieved when he discovered how to "undo" iron rust and get the iron out of it. But for that, our civilization today would be no further advanced than that of ancient Egypt or Assyria.

Edwin E. Slosson, in his remarkable new book, "Creative Chemistry," says that every year the blast furnaces of the world release 72,000,000 tons of iron from its oxides; and every year one-fourth of that quantity reverts to rust. Should man cease his efforts in this direction for a generation, there would be little left to show that he had ever learned to extract iron from its ores.—The Philadelphia Public Ledger.

### Look 'Em Over

Her Mother.—Are you sure you can support a whole family?  
Her Beau.—Sure, I can.  
Her Mother.—Well, you had better look 'em over, there's 12 of us.—Detroit News.

## Would Bring Remains Of Nameless Hero From France To Ottawa

### Dairy Business Profitable

Earl's Sister Turns Hobby into a Paying Business

An earl's sister who took up farming as a hobby eventually found it could be turned into a business. She developed it on thoroughly practical lines, and now it is proving a great success.

She is Lady Victoria Murray, the Earl of Dunmore's sister, and the farm of 300 acres is at Whitely Hey, near Macleodfield, Cheshire.

Lady Victoria has a herd of 110 Shorthorn and Friesian dairy cattle, and has dispatched by motor and train some 40,000 gallons of milk during the year.

From the model poultry farm, 160,000 eggs have been shipped to markets, besides large quantities of dressed poultry.

As a result of store cattle, Lady Victoria shows excellent judgment, and is the possessor of some notable pedigree stock.

### Lloyd George's Intuition

Proved Correct Many Times During the War

It was no "light-minded" man who, throughout the great war, the application of victory to his fellow-countrymen—and, one might almost say, to the world. In the most crucial periods of the conflict, he constantly exhibited a spirit that never faltered, a courage that never failed. He seemed never, for a moment, to have doubted of the ultimate triumph of the allied cause, and (what is, perhaps, more surprising) to have continually displayed, according to the testimony of those close to him at the time, a very accurate comprehension of the German mentality. Lord Milner, a member of his war cabinet, was immensely impressed with the fact that, time after time, his intuitions proved correct, when the judgment of generals in the field was at fault.—Montreal Journal of Commerce.

### Finds Money In Shoe

Cobbler Making Repairs Discovered Roll of Five Thousand

Five thousand dollars wadded tightly in the toe of a shoe brought to him for repairs, gave Frank Seville, a cobbler of Bayonne, N.J., the thrill of his life. Seville found in trying to place the shoe on a last that there was an obstruction in the toe, and after continuing his tugging, he brought out a wad of green paper. Examination showed the wad consisted of one \$1,000 bank note and forty \$100 bills. As soon as he could leave his work he called his wife and they were considering purchase of a poultry farm when a Polish woman rushed in and claimed the money.

### Farmer Loses Pedigree Sheep

Seventeen Killed Through Curious Passion for Following Each Other  
Seventeen pedigree sheep, the property of J. B. Dimmock, of Mendham Priory, Norfolk, have followed each other to death. Pastured in a field where there was an old well which had been covered over, one of the sheep tried to make a meal of the leaves of a tree which hung over the well. It stepped on the covering, which gave way, and fell into the well. With the curious passion for following each other, the remaining 16 sheep followed it, and all of them were killed.

### No Change Since Abraham

The Arab, or native Syrian population, seem to have developed no fundamental change for more than 3,000 years, according to Mrs. Henry Fawcett, who has been touring in Palestine; they wear the same clothes and use the same wooden ploughs as were used by their forefathers in the days of Abraham.

### Eventually

Most people will agree with President Harding that war between the United States and England is unthinkable, and eventually most people will agree that war between any two nations is unthinkable.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Discussing the action of the United States in bringing from France the body of an unknown soldier, the *Hall Herald* in a leading editorial says:

"Sixty-two thousand four hundred and ninety-six Canadians lie dead in Europe; the forests of crosses that force themselves upon the vision in Flanders in Artois and Picardy testify mutually to this overwhelming sacrifice. The story of Canada's achievements is inscribed upon these wooden memorials. But it is a portion only of that story. The rest is written in the rags that adhere to the plough of the Flemish farmer, in the shattered fragments of humanity protruding through the earth, in the stained and broken bodies gathered in the fields by little children, relics that may in after years serve no loftier purpose than to be exhibited to the ignorant gaze of the curious. "Why should not Canada do what has been done in Great Britain, in France, in Italy and in the United States? Why should not this country endeavor to bring a gleam of hope into the barren lives of those to whom it means so much? To bring to Canada as a Canadian warship all that is mortal of some nameless hero to reinter him in Ottawa, the capital of the Empire, would be an act of grace that would express all sympathetic feeling regarding these thousands of Canadians whose graves have not been and will never be identified."

### Do It Now

Putting Off Things Will Hinder Recovery in Business

Each of us can help to hasten recovery in business and in employment. How? Well, there is that little improvement you have long wanted to carry out around your home or your place of business; do it now. There is the purse you have had in your mind for quite a while but have held back because the price was too high; make it now. Your long-cherished dream of building your home has heretofore not been realized because of this, that or the next reason; build it now. There is that money you have been saving in the hope of being able to invest it safely and profitably; invest it now. You have been waiting for the right opportunity to launch that more aggressive plan for developing your business; do it now. You have been feeling pessimistic for many months but find yourself inclined to adopt a more cheerful and courageous attitude; do it now.—Forbes Magazine.

### Loneliest Spot in British Empire

Captain of Pacific Liner Says It Is Falkland Islands

Where is the loneliest place in the British Empire? Captain Galloway, of the Pacific liner *Carthage*, who knows the world well, believes that it is the Falkland Isles. "There is not much to do there," says the captain. "There is a 3-hole golf course and one plane. The plane was put ashore by the Good Hope before she went out to meet Von Spee's squadron. There is also one cinema film, which is shown in the town hall now and then." Captain Galloway brought away the Government printer from the Falklands, who had become mentally afflicted owing to the loneliness.

### Twenty Years Ago

Twenty years ago women were regarded as the chattels of their husbands. Twenty years ago a woman could not be a solicitor or a barrister. She could not even ride astride on a horse without exciting unfavorable comment. There has been a war since then. The disqualifications of women have been blown to pieces by the guns on the British front.—London Daily Express.

### From the Dead Sea

Blumen is gathered in Palestine from the Dead Sea, where it is found floating on the surface. Prior to the war this bitumen was gathered and turned over to a U.S. citizen, who lived in Jerusalem, who in turn, exported it by special permit. Practically the entire output was sent to Germany, where it was used in preparing the glass of patent leather.

## DESIRABLE CANADIANS



English children who recently came to Canada on board the "Empress of France." Their names are: Thomas Marshall Howard, Sydney Ashton, John Kincaid, Lawrence King, Edwin Coleman and Billy Coleman.



## World Happenings Briefly Told

Two Halifax, N.S., men returning from a hunting trip near Hubley's Lake, brought with them a 750-lb. moose.

The sum of \$21,000 is to be spent by the B.C. Government in converting the Boys' Industrial School, Point Grey, into a home for blind, deaf and dumb children.

Distinguished architects, sculptors, painters and decorators are combining to create a model doll's house for Queen Mary. It will be 8 feet high and completely furnished.

Thirty-five lives were lost in the wreck of the Ryuka Maru, a Japanese coasting steamer, which was wrecked near Kishibetou, off the coast of Hokkaido, Nov. 2. The captain and the crew of 24 were drowned.

The treaty of peace between Austria and the United States became effective with the exchange of ratifications by the two governments between Austrian Chancellor Schober and Arthur Hugh Frazer, United States commissioner in Vienna.

The League of German Industrialists have voted to come to the financial aid of the government by placing at its disposal the foreign credit of the league's members which it is estimated will yield one billion marks.

China's wheat crop has been so poor that brisk demand for flour is anticipated. J. W. Ross, Canadian trade commissioner to Shanghai, advises that 15 or more large flour mills throughout the country may also have to import wheat to keep them running.

### Okanagan Flour

Flour From B.C. Wheat Is Milled at Okanagan

Flour milled from Okanagan wheat and milled in Vernon is now being offered to the public by Vernon's newest industry, the Okanagan Farmers' Milling Company, Limited. The mill is of modern type, capable of producing fifty barrels of flour daily. In addition the flour that is being turned out, a good grade of bran and shorts is being milled.

## When Overtaken by Nausea Try This Simple Remedy

When you don't know whether it's going to stay down or come up, when you look like thirty cents, and feel even worse, what you need is twenty drops of Nerveine. In sweetened water. Almost like magic, it will change your experience. Those feelings of vomiting disappear. Thousands of homes rely on Nerveine in case of upset stomach, gas-bloating, nausea and sour stomach conditions. Get it today, large 50c bottles sold by all Dealers.

### Seal Herd Increasing

Valuable Fur-Bearing Animals More Plentiful on the Pacific Coast

After having been reduced in numbers from 2,500,000 to less than 150,000 through unrestricted slaughter in the past, the great seal herd of the Northern Pacific has under the adequate protection afforded them by the government, again increased, until today it is estimated that there are at least 600,000 of the valuable mammals between the coast of Washington and the icy shores off Alaska.

The Indians, who alone have been permitted to hunt the seals under restrictions which compelled them not to shoot them but only to spear them, expect to capture about 2,000 seals this year. The money value of the skins taken since the closed season for sealing schooners was declared in 1917 is said to be about \$600,000.

### Queer City in Ireland

The most unique city in the three kingdoms is Clougher, situated in the south of Tyrone, Ireland, an episcopal city, consisting of a single street with houses only on the one side. There is a saying in the north—"All on one side, like Clougher." The other side of the street is occupied by the wall and overhanging trees of the Macartney's demesne, which gives the place a very picturesque appearance. Further, this street has a cathedral, and episcopal palace without a resident bishop, and a deanery without a dean!

Minards' Liniment used by Veterinaries

**Zam-Buk**  
WONDERFUL IN  
**PILES**

Mr. WILFRED 42, Lomb Avenue,  
writes: "On active service with the R.F.C. contracted piles through sleeping on damp ground. Treatment by the M.O. brought no relief and various 'pile remedies' I tried proved equally hopeless. Shortly after my discharge from the service a friend strongly advised me to get Zam-Buk. One box of the balm brought such benefit that I determined to continue the treatment. In a few weeks Zam-Buk caused the piles to completely disappear. All other sufferers should know of this wonderful herbal healer."  
The ZAM-BUK for all your Pile Troubles.

### Survey For Power

The city of Winnipeg has voted \$10,000 for a preliminary survey of a City Electric Power site at Slave Falls on the Winnipeg River, where it is believed 30,000 h.p. will be developed in the next few years.

## SAVED BABY'S LIFE

Mrs. Alfred Tranchemontagne, St. Michel des Saints, Que., writes:—"Baby's Own Tablets are an excellent medicine. They saved my baby's life and I can highly recommend them to all mothers. Mrs. Tranchemontagne's experience is that of thousands of other mothers who have tested the worth of Baby's Own Tablets. The Tablets are a sure and safe medicine for little ones and never fail to regulate the bowels and stomach thus relieving all the minor ills from which children suffer. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

### To Exhibit at Chicago

The Province of Saskatchewan Agriculture Department will have a large exhibit at the Chicago International Stock Show in December.

Hard and soft corns both yield to Holloway's Corn Remover, which is entirely safe to use, and certain and satisfactory in its action.

### Big Exports of Wheat

Huge Quantities of Grain Handled at Fort William

During October there was marketed at Fort William a daily average of 1,720,485 bushels of wheat, loaded in an average of 1,102 cars daily. This shows a 35 per cent. increase over the wheat loaded for the same month last year. Since the opening of navigation on the 15th April there has been shipped from Fort William and Port Arthur 126,305,495 bushels of wheat.

### How's This?

HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will do what we claim for it—it rid your system of Catarrh or Inflammation of the Urinary Tract. We do not recommend it for any other disease.

HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is a liquid, taken internally, and acts through the blood upon the mucous surfaces of the system, thus reducing the inflammation and assisting Nature in restoring normal conditions.

All Druggists. Circulars free. J. J. Cleverly & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

### Brahmins Avoid Friday.

Amongst the Brahmins of India no business is ever begun on a Friday.

A Household Medicine.—They that are acquainted with the sterling properties of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the treatment of many ailments would not be without it in the house. It is truly a household medicine and is effective in dealing with many ordinary complaints. It is an inexpensive medicine, so, keep it at hand, as the call for it may come most unexpectedly.

Spend your money at home, thereby helping your own town and local merchants.

GIN PILLS FOR THE KIDNEYS

## Rose-Colored Crepe Brightens Navy Tricotine



By Marie Belmont

This attractive dress is an admirable one for the matron in need of a pretty model for afternoon wear. It is made of navy blue tricotine enlivened with trimmings of rose-colored crepe. The latter is used for the loose under-unders as well as the narrow panels that flank the front of the dress. Bands of the crepe also make effective trimming about the frock. Should the practical-minded woman consider that the rose crepe is too delicate, she might substitute a contrasting shade of blue or one of the reds that are so much to the fore this season.

### Minards' Liniment For Colds, etc.

To Make Flax Fibre  
A new company has been formed in Manitoba with a paid-up capital of \$100,000 to manufacture fibre from the raw flax. At the first meeting of the company it was decided to purchase a mill at Neepawa, capable of handling straw from 2,000 acres of land.

### Dutch Honey Bees

A consignment of Dutch honey bees has arrived for the use of Kelowna apiarists. The Dutch bee is celebrated for its honey producing qualities. Apiculture is becoming an important branch of husbandry among the fruit farmers of the Okanagan Valley.

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All druggists sell Bayer Tablets of Aspirin in handy tin boxes of 12 tablets, and in bottles of 24 and 100. Aspirin is the trade mark (registered in Canada) of Bayer Manufacture of Monocarbolic Acid of Salicylic Acid. While it is well known that Aspirin means Bayer manufacture, to assist the public against imitations, the Tablets of Bayer Company will be stamped with their general trade mark, the "Bayer Cross."

### BENJAMIN H. KAUFFMAN, Reading, Pa.

"There's no doubt in my mind that Tanlac saved my wife's life," was the positive statement of Benjamin H. Kauffman, 505 Bingham St., Reading, Pa., popular clothing salesman for the well-known firm of Croll & Keck:

"I was almost desperate from worrying over her condition, as she had suffered so long without getting relief and I can hardly believe my own eyes now when I see the change in her. Why, she doesn't show her age by twenty years and declares she never remembers feeling better in her life. Her health was falling steadily for a year as a result of catarrh of the stomach, and I had never seen anybody suffer as much from indigestion and nervousness as she did."

"After a few weeks' course of Tanlac she was like another person, and I'm firmly convinced that years have been added to her life. It makes me shudder now when I think what the result might have been if she hadn't taken Tanlac in time."

Tanlac is sold by leading druggists and general merchants everywhere.

### Russians Executed for Theft

Nineteen Men Shot For Stealing From Government Stores.

Nineteen men have been shot and 40 men and women sentenced to prison terms after conviction before a Moscow court martial for theft of diamonds, platinum and old silver and jewelry from the government stores. These stocks were taken over by the Soviet from shops and individuals at the beginning of the Bolshevik regime. Chief Inspector of the state control commissariat, M. Avenklyanz, who has been executed, was accused of stealing 50 billion rubles worth of gems and precious metals.

## YOUNG WOMEN AVOID PAIN

This One Tells How She Was Benefited by Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Regina, Sask.—"For two years I suffered from periodic pains and nausea so I was unable to get around. My mother had no take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I am much better and able to go about all the time, which I could not do before. I recommend Vegetable Compound to my friends if I know they suffer the same way, and you may publish my letter if it will help any one, as I hope it will."—Miss Z. U. BLACKWELL, 2075 Osler Place, Regina, Sask.

If every girl who suffers as Miss Blackwell did, or from irregular, painful periods, backache, headache, dragging down pains, inflammation or ulceration would only give this famous root and herb remedy a trial they would soon find relief from such suffering.

It hardly seems possible that there is a woman in this country who will continue to suffer without giving Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. All the evidence that is continually being published, proving beyond contradiction that this grand old medicine has relieved more suffering among women than any other medicine in the world.

For special advice women are asked to write the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of forty years experience is at your service.

# Friendship—Yes! But—

"The Bill will not let in Canadian wheat, but will save to the American farmer the right to raise a bushel of wheat instead of transferring that right to Canada."—Mr. Fordney, in introducing the Fordney Emergency Tariff Bill which has shut millions of dollars worth of Canadian foodstuffs out of the United States market.

"If we are to build up a self-sustaining agriculture here at home, the farmer must be protected from unfair competition from those countries where agriculture is still being exploited."—President Harding. The very spot chosen to deliver this speech—Minnesota—shows that Harding had the Canadian North-West in mind.

WHILE ties of friendship unite Canada and the United States, the attitude of Uncle Sam is that of "Business First", and Canada cannot and should not hope for any consideration from the United States where the interests of the farmers and business people of that country are involved.

Uncle Sam has built the Fordney Tariff directly against Canadian agriculture, and additional Tariff proposals are now under consideration to shut out from the United States Canadian goods of every kind.

These measures are due to the insistence of the American farmer that the United States market shall be retained exclusively for him and that the influx of Canadian farm products into that country must cease. They are also due to a like insistence of United States manufacturers and workers, who have seen their country develop tremendously and grow rich under a Protective Tariff, and who believe that a still further increase in Tariff is the only means of assuring continued prosperity.

## CONTRAST THE ATTITUDE OF THE UNITED STATES LEADERS WITH THAT OF CANADA'S WOULD-BE LEADERS, CRRER AND KING

Crerar proposes to allow American goods to enter the Canadian market free of duty.

King proposes that the present reasonable Tariff on the products of the American factory and farm shall be greatly reduced, and that the home market of the Canadian farmer and manufacturer alike shall be thrown open to our Southern neighbour, in the face of the United States Emergency tariff, which practically shuts out Canadian farm products from these markets, and also in the face of the permanent tariff now under consideration at Washington, which gives every promise of being even more drastic than the Emergency Tariff so far as our products are concerned.

In view of the attitude of the United States, what folly it is for Crerar and King to propose throwing open the Canadian market to a flood

of both agricultural and manufactured products of the United States when there is not the slightest possibility of any compensative advantage to Canada.

Does any sane Canadian believe that Crerar or King, hat in hand, could persuade the United States Government to completely reverse its Tariff policies and agree to reciprocal trade in face of American public demand for a high protective Tariff?

The people of the United States conduct their affairs and protect themselves by the principle that "Business is business." Why should Canada do otherwise?

Unlike Crerar or King, MEIGHEN stands firm for a reasonable Tariff to protect all our industries — those of the farm, the sea, the mine, the forest, the factory, and for the building up of a bigger and better Canada through the full development of the home market.

## FRIENDSHIP WITH THE UNITED STATES? YES, BY ALL MEANS!

# BUT—

let us defend our home market, our industries, our farms, our workmen, our homes by the same methods as are used so effectively against us.

Let us work out our own destiny—that of a strong, self-contained nation within the British Empire group of Nations, courageous, masterful, self-reliant.

# Canada Needs Meighen

The National Liberal and Conservative Party Publicity Committee

## Trail Rangers and Tuxis

At a Social evening in the Parsonage last Friday night, the older and younger boys after enjoying various games and amusements, formed into two groups, twelve to fourteen years of age, and fifteen to seventeen. The Trail Rangers reorganized with Rev. R. K. Swenerton Mentor, Percy Willis as Chief Ranger, Jim Belehaw Deputy Chief, Gordon Purvis, Cache, and Howard Halliday, Talley. A Tuxis group was formed with Mr. Nicholson, Mentor, Chas. Purvis, Pretor, Harold McPadyen, Deputy Pretor, and Norman Johnson, Scriptor Conceptor. Meetings will be held weekly during the winter months at the houses of the members. These meetings will constitute the mid-week sessions of the Sunday School Class, and will seek for an all-round development Intellectually, Physically, Religiously and Socially.

## Crossfield Young People's Society

The Ladies' Committee consisting of Mrs. Crocker, Chairman; Miss Halliday, Miss Wheelock, Mrs. McLees and Mrs. Swenerton are arranging for the next meeting of the Young People's Society, to be held at Union Church, next Tuesday night, beginning at 8.15. An interesting meeting is anticipated. What kind of a program will the Ladies' Committee put on, next Tuesday night? Come and see. One feature will be a Hat-Trimming contest for men, with a first and second prize. Refreshments will also be provided. Everybody welcome.

There will be three meetings during the month of December, which will include a Social Meeting with refreshments December 6th; a Literary evening with Dickens' Christmas Carol, illustrated with magic lantern slides, December 13th; and a Debate on the subject, "Resolved that Prohibition is not a Failure", December 20th.

Within the next few weeks plans will be formed for meetings in the New Year. Topics under consideration include Mock Trial, Mock Parliament, Lives of Great Missionaries, Evenings with Great Books, Debates on Live Topics and pleasant Social Evenings. It is probable that there will be inter-town debates with Crossfields. Suggestions for programs will be welcomed by Mrs. Crocker and Messrs. Turner, McCool, Goodsell and McLees who are Chairmen of Committees.

## WEDDING

MARSTON - WHITFIELD

A quiet and pretty wedding took place on Wednesday afternoon, November 23rd, at St. Stephen's Church Calgary, when Rev. W. C. Marsh, of Three Hills, united in holy matrimony Ada Whitfield, of Crossfield, to Clarence E. Marston, of Langley Prairie. B. C. The bride entered the church on the arm of her father, who gave her in marriage. She wore a reindeer brown colored suit trimmed with embroidery, covering a pearl grey trimmed with henna colored georgette blouse. Her hat was a reindeer brown facing with henna on top and feathers of the same color, she wore a bouquet of Orphelia roses. Miss Alpha Halliday attended the bride, and wore a blue dress trimmed with black and brims beads, wearing a bouquet of pink rosebuds. Her hat was deep blue facing with brown duvetyne on top. Mr. Melvin Reid accompanied the bridegroom. After the ceremony the party proceeded to the Empress Hotel, where lunch was provided. The newly married couple left for Vancouver on the evening train, where a short honeymoon will be spent, after which they will reside Langley Prairie, B. C.

## For Sale

FOR SALE—Rose Comb White Wyandotte Cuckers. Martin strain. \$2.50 each. Phone 235, Mrs. D. J. Hall.

FOR SALE—One Fanned Oak Buffet, one combination Writing Desk and Book Case, one Mission Oak Reading Lamp, one Hanging Lamp—extension shade complete. Apply P.O. Box 57, Crossfield, Alta.

## IMPOUNDED.

IMPOUNDED in the Municipal District of Rosebud No. 250. One dark Bay Mare, star on forehead, one white hind foot, wire cut on left leg. Branded C on right shoulder. Found strayed on Sec. 28, Twp. 25, R. 25, west of 4. D. Bille, Poundkeeper.

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F. H. Seeley, of Chicago and Philadelphia, the noted truss expert, will personally be at the Palliser Hotel, Calgary, and will remain Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday only, November 22, 23, and 24th. Mr. Seeley says: "The Spermatic Shield will not only retain any case of rupture perfectly, but confers the opening in 10 days on the average case. Being a vast advancement over all former methods—exemplifying instantaneous effects immediately appreciable and withstanding any strain or position. This instrument received the only award in England and in Spain, producing results without surgery, injections, medical treatment or prescriptions. Mr. Seeley has documents from the United States Governments, Washington, D. C., for inspection. He will be glad to demonstrate without charge or fit them if desired. Business demands prevent stopping at any other place in this section.

P. S.—Every statement in this notice has been verified before the Federal and States Courts.—F. H. Seeley.

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